

Legislative Bill Tracker

2019 California Legislative Session					
Bill#	Sponsor	Description	EBCE Position	Date Filed	Outcome
AB 56	E. Garcia	Statewide central electricity procurement entity			
SB 155	Bradford	Reform the regulation of public utilities (spot bill)			

CalCCA Legislative Bill Goals

- Clarity about CCA procurement jurisdiction
- Set standards for minimizing costs that go into fees
- Increase transparency of fees

Next steps:

- CalCCA bill language and spot bill being submitted to Leg Council by Jan 25 (unbacked for now) – actively seeking bill sponsor
- Outreach to active partners
- CalCCA lobby day being planned in the spring

EBCE Legislative Bill Concept

 Promoting increased electrification to improve air quality and reduce GHG emissions

Next steps:

- Seeking a spot bill for submission to Leg Council by Jan 25 deadline – will need to flesh out policy proposal with community and Board engagement in coming weeks
- Meetings with AlCo delegation members

Regulatory News

- Gov Newsom appointed Genevieve Shiroma to the CPUC to replace the vacancy left by Carla Peterman
- Incoming Cmmr. Shiroma is from Sacramento, serves on the Agricultural Labor Relations Board, and was the elected director of Ward 4 of the Sacramento Municipal Utility District from 1999-2018
- EBCE will be scheduling a meet-and-greet with the incoming Cmmr. once she begins her new role

Regulatory Proceedings – ERRA

- On Jan 22 Cmmr. Guzman Aceves issued an Alternate Proposed Decision (APD) in PG&E's 2019 ERRA Forecast proceeding
- The PD or APD could be voted on at the Feb 21 CPUC mtg
 - The APD would require PG&E to conduct a 2018 brown power true-up, which would decrease the 2019 PCIA
 - EBCE intends to seek additional *ex parte* meetings with other Commissioners before the Feb vote
- Implementation of rate changes expected April 2019

Other Key Regulatory Proceedings

PG&E 2020-2022 General Rate Case (GRC) Application:

 EBCE and a coalition of CCAs filed protests on Jan 17 and are attending a workshop Jan 25

PG&E Safety Culture Investigation:

 EBCE expects to file comments in response to Assigned Cmmr. Scoping Memo & Ruling on Feb 13